House Resolution No. 4016

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives are delighted to honor an outstanding Missourian who has witnessed dramatic changes in America during her sojourn on this most precious earth; and

Whereas, Lorraine House of St. Louis, Missouri, will commemorate the resplendent occasion of her Eightieth Birthday with a special celebration on September 14, 2003, at the Forest Park Golf Course Clubhouse; and

Whereas, on September 14, 1923, in St. Louis, God brought a special gift to this great state with the birth of an adorable infant by the name of Lorraine, who would put a twinkle in people's eyes and fill their hearts with love and joy; and

Whereas, while celebrating her birthday, Lorraine House will have the opportunity to reminisce about some of the significant events in her life such as her fifty-seven-year marriage to Charles House and the births of their offspring; and

Whereas, God has blessed Lorraine House with the love and affection of a wonderful family whose members include her husband, Charles House; four children, James, Marilyn, Wayne, and Karen; and four grandchildren, Kristopher, Leslie, Kristin, and Matthew; and

Whereas, a devoted wife, loving mother, and exemplary homemaker, Lorraine House has further distinguished herself as an outstanding culinary expert who has been affectionately awarded a Ph.D. in pastry by her fans and has authored a widely acclaimed, privately published cookbook; and

Whereas, a member of the Cana Club and President of the Third Order of St. Francis, Lorraine House is extremely grateful for the countless blessings she has received throughout the course of her long and eventful life:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, unanimously join in extending our most hearty congratulations and special birthday greetings to Lorraine House at this significant milestone and in wishing her peace and contentment as she continues to enjoy her golden years; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Missouri octogenarian Lorraine House, as a measure of our esteem for her.

Offered by
Representative Fred Kratky
District No. 65
I, Catherine L. Hanaway, Speaker of the House of
Representatives, Ninety-second General Assembly, First
Regular Session, do certify that the above is a true and
correct copy of House Resolution No. 4016, adopted

September 10, 2003.